

House Resolution No. 4838

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

Whereas, the members now pause to recognize Oakhill Day School, in Gladstone, Missouri, which is observing its sixtieth anniversary this year; and

Whereas, Oakhill Day School is a member of the Independent Schools Association of the Central States and the 2003 recipient of the Environmental Excellence Award; and

Whereas, it is Oakhill Day School's mission to provide excellence in education through child-centered learning in a supportive, challenging, and rewarding environment that provides students with self-confidence, values, knowledge, and the foundation for leadership through emotional, physical, and social development; and

Whereas, it is Oakhill Day School's vision to create a competitive co-educational, independent school in the greater Kansas City area, balancing an academic, challenging, and integrated curriculum with a nurturing and supportive environment; and

Whereas, Oakhill Day School is committed to the belief that a true benefit to a private education is the presence of the Lifeskills curriculum, and as a prominent independent school that puts the importance and presence of this curriculum, Oakhill Day School makes sure that these ideals are truly instilled in all students; and

Whereas, among the Lifeskills included in Oakhill Day School's curriculum are responsibility, organization, cooperation, common sense, caring, patience, problem solving, initiative, flexibility, integrity, perseverance, effort, friendship, and an appreciation for humor:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our congratulations to Oakhill Day School on the illustrious occasion of its sixtieth anniversary and to wish the faculty, staff, and students every success in all their future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Oakhill Day School.

Offered by _____
Representative Jerry Nolte
District No. 33

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4838, adopted September 24, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker